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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)
GUENTHER EBERZ ET AL) GROUP NO.: 1656
SERIAL NO.: 10/069,353)
FILED: OCTOBER 10, 2002) EXAMINER: C. M. KAM
TITLE: NUCLEIC ACIDS CODING FOR)
ENZYME ACTIVITIES OF)
SPINOSYN BIOSYNTHESIS)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Notice of Non-responsive Amendment dated July 5, 2006. A one month period was set for response to the Office Action bringing a response to be due on or before August 5, 2006. Upon entry of this Amendment Claims 73-86 and 88-90 will remain pending in the case.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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